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Dear Gabrielle,

Thanks for your note and the enclosed clippings from the Times and Der Spiegel.

I could make the sense of the report on the Katzenbach memo, thanks. Rather that it is about that memo and a Warren memo I published and that Rudi was kind enough to credit me as the source. Please thank him and remember us when you are in touch with him.

From the gross receipts I've seen "JFK" has done very well in Germany.

Thanks for the Gates clipping from the Times. That was a media blitz/event in which he got praised for duplicating information disclosed years earlier and saying it shows how he has brought a new openness to the CIA. It was of as I recall only 110 pages. As if to underscore the indecency and dishonesty of it at the same time the FBI sent me long-delayed copies of redords it had had to refer back to the agencies of origin. Far and away most were approved for disclosure to me by the CIA. So, rather than the tinsel Gates gave the Senate, mostly records of other agencies, the FBI gave me a stack of more than 16 inches of them. I prepared an affidavit and asked my former FOIA lawyer to give it to the proper committees of both Houses.

What the AMA pulled and like the CIA not only got away with, got praised for doing, is another farce and a fraud. I was given a copy of the Times' editorial attack on me. I responded. I do not expect them to publish it.

What AMA did is say that because those who loused the autopsy up to begin with then said it was correct, we need nothing else to confirm that they were indeed right.

When I get a copy of the article and a transcript of the press conference I'll be addressing them.

Really outrageous in its incompetence, dishonesty, unprofessionalism and ignorance.

Thanks and our best to you both,

Harold